

Please cancel claims 2-6, 8-12, 14, and 15 without prejudice. The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) An image sensing apparatus comprising:

an image sensor;

a display ~~for displaying~~adapted to display an image obtained by said image sensor and information about a status of the image sensing apparatus, where the information is different from the image;

a power supply unit ~~for supplying~~adapted to supply power to processing circuits including said image sensor and said display; ~~and~~

an operation member that sets the display to be either OFF or ON;

a setting unit adapted to set either to display or not to display the information on said display; and

a controller ~~for controlling~~adapted to control operating statuses of said display and said power supply unit,

wherein said controller controls ~~supply of power to said display and said power supply~~ so as to set said display ON for a predetermined period, ~~and only~~ display the information, ~~which is different from the image~~ and set said display OFF after the predetermined period, when said display is set to be OFF by said operation unit and the information is set to be displayed on said display by said setting unit.

Claims 2-6 (cancelled).

7. (currently amended) A display method in an image sensing apparatus having an image sensor, ~~and~~ a display for displaying an image obtained by the image sensor and information about a status of the image sensing apparatus, where the information is different from the image, an operation member that sets the display to be either OFF or ON, and a setting unit adapted to set either to display or not to display the information on said display, said method comprising:
- determining whether said display was selected to be OFF or ON by said operation member;
 - determining whether or not to display the information on said display set by said setting unit;
 - a display step of turning ON the display device and displaying only the information which is different from the image when the display is selected and set to be OFF device is OFF and the information is set to be displayed on said display; and
 - a monitoring step of monitoring a display period in said display step so as not to exceed a predetermined period.
 - turning OFF the display after a predetermined period since the display is turned ON when OFF of the display is selected.

Claims 8-12 (cancelled).

13. (currently amended) A computer program having computer readable program code means for a display method in an image sensing apparatus having an image sensor, ~~and a~~ display for displaying an image obtained by the image sensor and information about a status of the image sensing apparatus, where the information is different from the image, an operation member that sets the display to be either OFF or ON, and a setting unit adapted to set either to display or not to display the information on said display, said program including:

first computer readable program code means for determining whether said display was selected to be OFF or ON by said operation member;

second computer readable program code means for determining whether or not to display the information on said display set by said setting unit;

~~first-third~~ computer readable program code means for turning ON the display device and displaying only the information when the display device is OFFselected and the information is set to be displayed on said display; and

~~second computer readable program code means for monitoring a display period of the information which is different from the image so as not to exceed a predetermined period.~~

fourth computer readable program code means for turning OFF the display after a predetermined period since the display is turned ON when OFF the display is selected.

Claims 14-15 (cancelled).